

School Profile

Where young adults discover their path to excellence.

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Accreditations

- Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)

School History and the Lasallian Tradition

La Salle College Preparatory was founded in 1956 at the request of the Archbishop of Los Angeles, who wanted a Catholic boys high school to serve the northern and eastern sections of the San Gabriel Valley. Today, La Salle College Preparatory continues to function as a private Catholic, co-educational high school. It is a Lasallian School - an educational institution that draws its philosophy and inspiration from the life of Saint John Baptist de La Salle (1651-1719), founder of the Brothers of the Christian Schools and the patron saint of all teachers. The Christian Brothers have a reputation for excellence in education which extends back to 1680, and we are a part of a worldwide educational movement with schools throughout the world.

Of particular importance is La Salle's call to carry out the mission established by its founder, Saint La Salle, "to give a human and Christian education to the young, especially the poor, according to the ministry which the Church has entrusted to the Christian Brothers." Together we strive to understand and live by the five Lasallian Core Principles: Faith in the Presence of God, Concern for the Poor and Social Justice, Quality Education, Inclusive Community, and Respect for All Persons.

Today, some 3,100 Christian Brothers and over 100,000 lay colleagues worldwide minister to nearly one million students in over 560 educational institutions in 79 countries on six continents. These schools serve nearly every ethnic group and religion around the world. In addition to providing strong academics, each Lasallian School also creates a community of persons deeply conscious of their responsibilities to each other, which is central to their success.

Student Enrollment and Demographics

At La Salle College Preparatory, there are 634 students from the ninth through twelfth grades. To maintain our Catholic identity, approximately two-thirds of our entering freshmen acceptances are of the Roman Catholic faith. In addition, 30% of our students are from low socio-economic families and receive full or partial tuition assistance through the San Miguel and Brother Celestine Scholarship Funds. Average student/teacher ratio is 11:1 and the average class size is 24.

Ethnic Background

• Caucasian	30.8%
• Asian & Pacific Islander	29.7%
• Latino	21.9%
• Other/Multi-Racial/Decline to State	15.5%
• African American	2.2%

School Schedule

Rotational bell schedule of 3 or 4 class meetings per day. Each class meets for 75 minutes.

Curriculum

La Salle's curriculum pursues a rigorous balance between college preparatory courses, religious education, and enrichment opportunities. It is also committed to a values-based preparation for college that flows from a commitment to religious principles. Service-learning is built into the curriculum during each of the four years. By the end of the senior year, students will have completed in excess of 75 hours of Christian service as part of their coursework. Graduation requirements meet or exceed the University of California minimum subject requirements for freshmen admission, with more than 100 courses currently UC certified or approved.

Required Courses

• Religious Studies*	4 years
• English	4 years
• Social Studies	3 years
• Math	Completion through Algebra 2
• Science	2 years of Lab Science
• World Languages	2 years
• Visual & Performing Arts	1 year
• Physical Education/Health	1 year

* Religious Studies courses are academically rigorous and grading is based exclusively on the student's academic achievement.

Graduation Requirements

280 units are required for graduation. Among those, 200 units are of required courses. Students are required to take 7 courses per year.

Grading

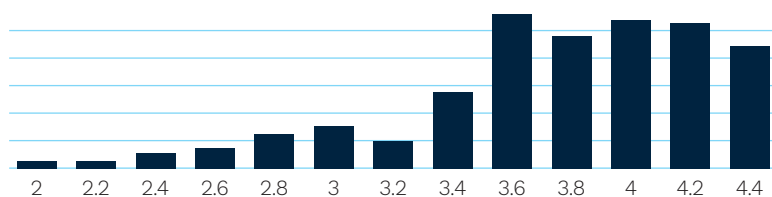
The traditional A-F grading system, with plus and minus, is used. There is no A+. Honors and AP courses are weighted with one extra point when calculating GPA.

Advanced Placement and Honors Courses

The La Salle curriculum includes 19 Advanced Placement courses, in addition to honors courses in English, math, science, social studies and Spanish. Enrollment in AP and honors courses is restricted to those who qualify through academic achievement, placement tests, and teacher recommendations. Enrollment in AP science courses and AP Art & Design is restricted to those students who have

Grade Point Average and Ranking Policy

The GPAs for the Class of 2023 are cumulative from grades 9 through 11 on a weighted 4.0 scale, and include all academic courses and advanced courses. La Salle does not rank its students.



already taken a one-year prerequisite course. In the spring of 2022, 281 students took 601 AP exams, with 78% of students obtaining a score of 3 or better on at least one of their exams.

Advanced Placement Offerings

Art-Drawing/2D/3D	French Language
Art&Design	Human Geography
Biology	Government & Politics*
Calculus AB	English Language
Calculus BC	English Literature*
Chemistry	Macroeconomics*
Chinese Language & Culture	Microeconomics*
Computer Science A	Physics C: Mechanics
Computer Science Principles	Physics C: E & M*
European History	Spanish Language
	Statistics*
	US History

Honors Courses

Algebra I	English IV
Algebra II	Geometry
Biology	Physics
Chemistry	Precalculus
English I	Spanish II
English II	Spanish III
English III	

*Courses only available to seniors

Test Data

SAT Middle 50%

Class	EBRW	Math	% Taken
2023	590-680	580-710	34%
2022	570-700	560-740	30%
2021	610-705	610-720	38%

ACT Middle 50%

Composite	% Taken
20-28	77%
20-30	63%
20-29	82%

College Acceptances & Matriculations

In the past four years, over 98% of our graduates entered college upon graduation, with 86% attending four-year universities and 35% attending out-of-state universities. Listed below are the four-year institutions the Class of 2022 is attending.

Azusa Pacific University	• San Luis Obispo	Northwestern University	• Los Angeles
American University	• Sonoma	Pennsylvania State University - University Park	• Riverside
Arizona State University	Chapman University	Pepperdine University	• San Diego
Baylor University	Colgate University	Point Loma Nazarene University	• Santa Cruz
Belmont University	Colorado State University	Pratt Institute	University of Colorado Boulder
Benedictine College	Cornell University	Saint Mary's College of California	University of Florida
Boston University	Cornish College of the Arts	Santa Clara University	University of Hawaii at Manoa
California Baptist University	Drexel University	Seattle University	University of La Verne
California Institute of the Arts	Fordham University	Siena College	University of Oregon
California Lutheran University	Harvey Mudd College	Syracuse University	University of Portland
California State University System	Hawai'i Pacific University	University of Alabama	University of San Francisco
• Long Beach	Kansas Wesleyan University	University of Arizona	University of Southern California
• Northridge	Loyola Marymount University	University of California System	University of Washington
• Pomona	Michigan State University	• Berkeley	Wells College
• Sacramento	Missouri University of Science and Technology	• Davis	Wesleyan University
• San Diego	Mount Saint Mary's University (CA)	• Irvine	Westmont College
• San Francisco	New York University		Worcester Polytechnic Institute
• San Jose			